

RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL AND FEE AUTHORIZATION

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 15162/04300		APPLICATION NO. 10/081,699		
FILING DATE February 22, 2002	CONFIRMATION NO. 1268	CUSTOMER NO. 24367	EXAMINER Jeanne A. Di Grazio	GROUP ART UNIT 2871
INVENTOR(S): Mitsutoshi NAKAMURA				
TITLE OF INVENTION: IMAGE FORMING METHOD				

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TRANSMITTED HERewith FOR THE ABOVE IDENTIFIED
PATENT APPLICATION IS:

- ☒ (A) A response to the Office Action dated: April 9, 2004
- ☒ (B) A Petition for Extension of Time
☐ for 1 month ☒ for 2 months ☐ for 3 months;
A Petition for Extension of Time, having been previously filed,
☐ for 1 month ☐ for 2 months ☐ for 3 months
- ☐ (C) A Notice of Appeal. \$
- ☐ (D) An Appellant's Brief on Appeal. \$
- ☐ (E) Other: . \$
- ☐ (F) A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27
☐ Small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been previously established
☒ The claims fee, if any, has been calculated as shown below

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September 9, 2004

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
TOTAL	21	MINUS	20	1
INDEP.	6	MINUS	3	6

FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM

SMALL ENTITY

RATE	ADD'L FEE
x \$9	\$
x \$43	
+ \$145	
TOTAL ADD'L FEE	\$ 0.00

OR

LARGE ENTITY

RATE	ADD'L FEE
x \$18	\$ 18.00
x \$86	258.00
+ \$290	
TOTAL ADD'L FEE	\$ 276.00

- ☒ Please charge \$696.00 to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260, which includes
☒ the amount of \$276.00 for the claims fee calculated above AND/OR
☒ the amount of \$420.00 for the fee for item(s) ☒ (B) ☐ (C) ☐ (D) ☐ (E) ☐ (F)
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees (other than issue fee) required during the pendency of this application
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- ☒ A duplicate copy of this Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization is enclosed.

September 9, 2004

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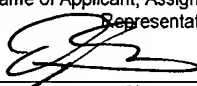
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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AMENDMENT

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated April 9, 2004, which provides for a response period ending July 9, 2004.

A Petition for Extension of Time, to extend the response period for the Office Action for two additional months to September 9, 2004, is being filed concurrently.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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